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California Ranch News

Principal farm commodities produced in Fresno county during the calendar year 1927, to November 1, had an aggregate value of \$82,001,661, or an increase of almost \$15,000,000 over the same period of 1926, according to a survey made by the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce, figures on which have recently been released.

Grapes and raisins are by far the leaders, the value of these two items alone being in excess of \$56,000,000. Fresh grapes come first, with a valuation estimated by the Chamber of Commerce accountants at \$32,077,500 for 22,750 cases, and raisin production second, with an estimated valuation equal that of 1926, when it was placed at \$13,926,400 for 17,050 tons.

R. R. Baker, vice president of the Modoc County Bank, who acts as selling agent for the bulk of Modoc County wool, has received a bid of 30 cents per pound for next season's clip, provided between 100,000 and 125,000 fleeces will be guaranteed at this price. To date Baker has not closed with the offer.

Plans for holding a banquet of all members of the Tulare County Farm Bureau in Visalia sometime in January, have been announced by J. T. Stewart of Orange Cove, president of the organization. This will be the first banquet of the kind given in Tulare County. A number of important State agriculturalists will be speakers.

One of the biggest problems now under way at Chaffey Union High School experiment station in Ontario is development of a fruit to take the place of low-grade peaches, as many trees are being "pulled" in local orchards, according to George P. Welton, Chaffey pomologist. At a recent meeting of peach growers, shippers, and directors of agriculture at Sacramento, it was agreed that overproduction of peaches caused the uncertain market last season. Many growers have realized the situation also and have proceeded to take out a number of their trees in favor of other fruits.

Rev. C. E. Smith of Paradise, Butte County, gathered approximately 250 pounds of walnuts off two trees growing in his yard. The older tree, a graft fourteen years old, yielded at least 200 pounds. The younger graft is four years old. The grafts are from a seedling planted by J. C. Cory of Paradise from some French nuts presented to his wife many years ago and resemble in appearance the Franquette except that these are pointed at both ends. The variety has never been named.

The annual grazing report just submitted by the officers of the Modoc National Forest shows that during the past year the Modoc forest furnished pasturage for a total of 35,853 cattle and horses and 95,367 sheep owned and run by about 400 permittees. The Modoc National Forest, which provides range for more stock than any other national forest unit in the California district, covers almost 2,000,000 acres, of which about three-fourths is vacant government land, the balance being owned by timber holding companies and local stockmen.

Golden State News of Interest to All

California's first Christmas tree plantation, and possibly the first in the country, is to be established at Chicago Park, Nevada county, according to an announcement by State Forester M. B. Pratt.

Oak Bar, in Siskiyou county, one of the picturesque "ghost cities" of California, is probably the only town in America which has been sold three times in a single year. According to word from Yreka, Oak Bar has changed hands three times during 1927, the present owners, William Hopewell of Redwood City and John Briba of Alameda, indicating they intend to turn the place into a summer resort.

Public offering of \$1,000,000 State of California building and university buildings 4 per cent bonds was made last week by a syndicate, headed by the Anglo London Paris National Trust and Savings Association. The bonds are general obligations of the State of California, and priced to yield 3.80 per cent. The last preceding offering of State bonds was made several weeks ago on a 3.35 basis.

It is interesting to note that California bonds are enjoying a steadily improving market in the East, as is evidenced by the narrowing price differential between the obligations of California and those of Eastern States, commanding the highest credit rating. The State of California's financial statement shows a total assessed valuation (1927) of \$7,647,607 and a total bonded debt of \$106,513,500. Award to W. A. Dechtel Company, San Francisco, of a \$48,209 contract for elimination of two railroad grade crossings on the Victory highway near Applegate, Placer county, was announced last week by the state department of public works. The state engineers' estimate on the project was \$55,932. The department also received a low bid of \$22,171 from H. C. Whitely, Los Angeles, on widening eight bridges in Merced county. The state engineer's estimate was \$26,149.

"I do not choose to run in 1928," Coolidge made the phrase, but didn't copyright it. And Big White Deer, Empire Indian Marathon, knows a good phrase when he sees it. He used it boldly and without change to notify Harry Ridgeway of the marathon committee that he will not be in the race next year. But there will be plenty of others, says Ridgeway. The race will be made over the 480-mile Redwood Highway between San Francisco and Grants Pass, Oregon, within a time limit of ten days.

William E. Colby, San Francisco attorney and forestry conservationist, was last week elected chairman of the new State Park Commission, and W. B. Rider, deputy state forester for several years, was named acting chief of the State Division of Parks. Rider was appointed to act temporarily and the matter of choosing a permanent executive officer and division chief was set for the next commission meeting.

A gift of \$10,000 to the University of California at Berkeley for establishment of a bureau for collection and distribution of infantile paralysis serum was announced by President W. W. Campbell last week, following a meeting of the university regents. Fifty San Franciscans joined in making the gift. The bureau will be under direction of Dr. Karl Meyer of the university's Hooper Foundation for Medical Research.

Forty prominent California Democrats met in San Francisco last week to take formal action in an effort to bring the 1928 Democratic National Convention to San Francisco. They decided to send telegrams to all of the ninety-six members of the national committee, urging them to select this city. Charles W. Fay, former San

TO HAVE FLOAT IN PASADENA'S ROSE PARADE

"California's first capital, San Jose, will be the caption in flowers of San Jose's annual floral entry in the Pasadena tournament of roses parade, to be held January 2, was the announcement made by the third annual de las Rosas committee at their meeting, December 14.

The float is to be a replica in natural flowers of California's first capitol building erected in San Jose prior to the meeting of California's first State Legislature, which convened in the building on December 15, 1849. Scotch and marigolds, with small climbing roses twined attractively, will cause the predominating colors of orange and orchid. Fresh flowers are to be shipped from the famous flower gardens of Santa Clara county.

Committee work and plans for the third annual Fiesta de la Rosas, to be held in May, as usual, is already under way. This early activity of the business men of the Garden City, in planning for the third 'festival of flowers,' indicates that it will be the 'best ever.' The date of the floral parade is expected to be announced in January.

FRANK ORDANDO AWARDED PRIZE

Frank Orlando of route 1, box 232, Los Gatos, has just been notified that he has been awarded a prize in the national moving picture contest recently held by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. Orlando, who entered the contest in competition with thousands of moving picture fans all over the country and abroad, was able, because of his knowledge of "movie" stars and current pictures, to win one of the second prizes—an autographed picture of Greta Garbo, his favorite star.

7000 LOSE LICENSES

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 21.—(Special)—Acting on legal notice, submitted to him by State Controller Ray L. Riley, Frank G. Snook, chief of the division of motor vehicles, today prepared to suspend the licenses of more than 7000 persons operating motor vehicles for hire or compensation outside of incorporated cities until such time as they have paid delinquent taxes due under the provisions of the 1923-25 motor vehicle transportation license tax act.

The millionaire who dresses as well as his clerk is more or less eccentric.

Francisco postmaster, was named chairman of the "San Francisco Democratic Convention Committee." Selection of a convention city will be made in Washington, January 12th, by the national committee.

The California motor vehicle transportation license tax act of 1923 was sustained in effect last week by the supreme court. An attack by the Bacon Service Corporation, operating in Fresno county was dismissed for want of jurisdiction. The section was passed over without discussion or move by any member to amend it. The treasury recommended that these laws be retained as they are.

Christmas Candies at Smith's
Harmonica's at Smith's

CONSERVATION ASSN. BUYS DITCH

The Valley Conservation Association announces that it has completed the purchase of the Santa Clara Valley Water Co. ditch this week. After many delays, some of them irritating, such as are common to all real estate transfers the deal has been made which gives the association control of the upper Page ditch which was purchased last spring and of the ditch above the Page that is better known possibly as the old Duncan ditch. The sum paid this week was \$1167 which is two-thirds of the total price, one-third having been paid May 1, when the option was secured. This money was secured by contributions of San Jose business interests during a canvass made by the association this fall.

It is expected that work will begin at once to clear the ditches of obstructions of various kinds that have accumulated during the years they have lain idle. A culvert must be built under Parr avenue as well as a diversion dam in the creek to turn the flood waters into the ditch. The association cannot do as complete a job this season as it would like to because of shortage of funds but hopes to do enough to show what the possibilities may be in conserving water when ample funds are available.

MACE - GARD

Miss Marie Mace and Claude Gard were married in Redwood City Saturday morning. Owing to the recent death of the bride's mother, but two intimate friends were in attendance.

The bride has been a resident of Campbell for a number of years, several of which she was a highly esteemed teacher in the local grammar school. For several terms she has been teaching in the Jefferson School in San Jose. Claude is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gard, old residents of Campbell. He is associated with the J. C. Ainsley Packing Company.

Upon their return from a honeymoon trip they will be at home to their friends at their cozy residence on N. First street, Campbell.

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Mary A. Luphear
Guy Farley
Steve Sunquist
C. C. C. Membership Com.

KIWANIANS BRING GIFTS FOR KIDDIES

The Campbell Kiwanis and ladies enjoyed their annual Christmas party Monday evening in the Community Hall, which had been made very cozy with rugs and rearrangements of furniture.

A beautiful Christmas tree which the club had purchased and loaned to the P. T. A. for the grammar school festivities, was very festive. Lovely pine branches, baskets of red berries, and colored candle-sticks and candles created a festive setting. A quartet, impromptu, and choral singing, with Dr. W. I. Merrill at the piano, started the evening's program.

Mr. M. E. Purmort officiated as Santa Claus in distributing "toys and games" with which the grown up boys amused the company for a time. These presents were the contributions of the members and were later returned to be given to real kiddies whose stockings may be a bit empty at Christmas.

W. C. Bohnett, accompanied by Dr. Merrill played two pleasing violin numbers and then the remainder of the evening was very informally spent with cards, visiting and dancing, the Sunset Cardinals providing the music. Two of their number also sang a duet. Punch and wafers were served, also very informally, and everyone present enjoyed a jolly social evening.

METHODIST CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

S. S. TREE AND PROGRAM,
FRI. 23rd, 7:30.

Song, School, Prayer; Recitation, "A Brief Speech," David Farley; Dialogue, "Why do Bells for Christmas Ring?," David Savaker, Charles Tidd, David Crawley; Song, "Away in a Manger," Primary; Recitation, "A Little Star," Florence Weeks; Dialogue, "Christmas Post Card Boys," Willis Greene, Wesley Lantz, Walter Lewarren, Wilbur Meeks; Solo, "Christmas Lullaby," Jene Willis; Dialogue, "Christmas Baskets," Eugene Greene, Stephen Kennedy; Dialogue and Song, "God's Gift and Mine," C. O. U. Class; Dialogue, "The Clock," Robert Crawley, Mildred Lewarren, Irene Pratt, Elwin Meeks; Song, Primary; Pantomime, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear"; Christmas Play, "Following the Star."

All parents and friends cordially invited.

J. H. Stubbe and family and Miss L. M. Self started Saturday on a motor trip south to be gone a week returning in time to enjoy Christmas here with a brother, R. E. Stubbe and family. Mrs. Mary Stubbe, mother of these 'old boys' is enjoying a visit here with them. J. H. tells of a successful invasion of the famous Petaluma district recently when he sold a quantity of baby chicks there.

C. W. CLUB HOLDS HOLIDAY MEETING

An afternoon devoted to a consideration of drama was enjoyed Monday by the members of the Country Women's Club who were able to spare the time from Christmas preparations to attend.

Miss A. E. Denton was chairman assisted by Miss Jessie Lewis. The room was arrayed in holiday garb, and the Christmas season was emphasized by the singing of Christmas carols at intervals in the program.

The leader read a poem by Edna St. Vincent Millay, "A King and Two Lanterns." She gave an interesting talk on the life and works of Isben, and illustrated with readings from "The Doll House."

"The Little Mixer," a bit of Christmas drama by Lillian Nicholson Shearer was read by Miss Lewis.

The next meeting will be a social tea on New Year's Day.

CLUB CULTIVATES SWEET TOOTH

The 'Sweetest Story Ever Told' was served the local Kiwanians at luncheon Tuesday when D. P. Edwards of California-Hawaiian Sugar Company of Crockett told in lecture and film story, the tale of the growth and manufacture of sugar. This company makes 5 million pounds of sweets per day, some sweet morsel.

The wives of a number of members were present, possibly with an idea of sweeter goodies for Christmas.

On behalf of the club, Dr. Merrill, the newly elected president, presented "Our Club Mother," Mrs. Edith Turner, with Christmas gift, as a token of appreciation by the members for her efforts.

Rev. Jos. Bennett will give a short address on Christmas observance in England at the next Tuesday luncheon and Guy Farley will direct the monetary destinies of the club during the hour.

REBEKAHS TO BE INSTALLED

District Deputy President Viola Brown and staff of Santa Clara will install the new officers of Ada Rebekah Lodge on Tuesday, January 3.

The newly elected vice grand is Evelyn Grant of San Jose. Mrs. Hazel McQueen, Mrs. Wilmay Lea and Mrs. Beulah Covey is the charity committee in charge of the charity jar this season and will see to making Christmas brighter for some of the more unfortunate kiddies of the community.

Mrs. Etta Eddleman will have charge of the installation banquet.

"Your son has a fine voice!" "Yes. He sells newspapers outside of the opera house."

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ROOM AND BOARD after Jan. 1. Furnace heat. Phone, Campbell 148 or Ballard 1528.

For Rabbit s, either for eating or breeding, visit James Fay's Rabbitry, 75 South First street, Campbell.

Every Day It's Carols

Pity the man who, as a child, has never hung up his stocking with the belief that Santa Claus would come. And pity the man today, who has not a spark of charity and love that prompts him to bring happiness to children and his fellow man.

It is true we are drifting to a stage that makes one want to get away on some South Sea island so he will not have to face his Christmas list. Is the old-time Christmas spirit dying?

Not the lavishing of expensive, and oftentimes worthless gifts, is happiness accomplished. A kind word is frequently remembered and treasured more than a costly gift. Back of it all is the spirit of the giver, and he is the one made most happy by his kind act.

Every day is Christmas for the man who does good for his fellow man.

The Strength of the Hills

Come rest on the porch while the twilight
Envelopes the quiet hills,
And the strength that is theirs for our healing
Our fever and restlessness stills.

They were blue in the sunset's last glory,
They were brown when the noontide was high,
And now they are shadowed and dusky,
Their pines standing black on the sky.

There's quietness there, and a beauty,
That steal all our hurry away,
And a strength for the tired and lonely
Who rest at the close of the day.

The strength of the hills is ours also,
As well as the cross and the thorn
And the burdens we lay down at nightfall
To shoulder again with the morn.

So rest here a space in the twilight
And drink in the strength of the hills
'Till your spirit grows mighty to venture
Whatever the Infinite wills.

— Julia N. Budlong.

"I would like to buy my friends some Christmas presents, but the trouble is, they've got everything they want, and it would be only a waste of good money to buy them more," you say.

True, but how about your mail carrier or your newsboy or your gardner or the girl in the kitchen, who serve you faithfully 300 days in the year, or how about the poor neighbor down the street or the widow across the way, who may take in washing. Would a little present add to their cup of joy?

It cost Henry Ford a couple of million dollars in newspaper advertising to introduce his new car to the expectant public, and he got a billion dollars worth of advertising in the news columns of the same papers, without as much as lifting his little finger. On the gridiron or on the baseball field, this would be called "using your noddle."

Christmas Bells

In blessed rest all things were still,
When to my ear comes sweet and clear
The sound of bells—Christmas bells—
Bethlehem and Galilee draw near.

O glad, sweet bells you touch my heart
And stir the pools of memory
Of other times, in a pearly isle,
Of clear sunrise beyond the sea.

Again I feel the breath of white moon-
light,
And through the window with its bars,
I see the date and royal palm,
And Morro gleams beneath the stars.

For Him, all times and climes are one,
And through the years His spirit cheers
And heartens every good, for a
War-tired world beset with fears.

O build anew with broader view,
A nobler world devoid of enmity,
Of larger men and wiser rule
In brotherhood and harmony.

Bells then, you'll ring a symphony
Of sweet accord and strifeless years
The better age that is to be,
Foretold of old by all the seers.

Rose E. Cunningham,

Co-operation has rehabilitated the beef cattle growing business in California. It has placed it on a sound financial basis following several years of depression. This was indicated at the closing session in San Francisco last week of the California Cattle-men's Association and Western Marketing Association, held at the Palace Hotel. Reports showed the associations are debt free, made sales approximating \$12,000,000 in 1937 and have now listed in their rolls approximately a million head of beef cattle.

The Supreme Court decision on illegal evidence in prohibition cases is not new, nor will it affect California, it was declared recently by Superior Judge Walter Perry Johnson. "Federal and State courts have different procedure," he said. "In State courts it makes no difference, once the trial starts, how the evidence is obtained. In Federal courts the legality of the evidence may be questioned at any time during the trial."

The annual convention of County Coroners of California was held last week in the offices of Dr. T. B. W. Leland, coroner of San Francisco county. Fifteen members of the association attended. Indicating the growth of educational institutions on the Pacific coast, the State Department of Education announced last week that the average city high school in California has reached a size greater than private colleges in some sections of the country. The average California city high school, for instance, has five separate buildings and some have as many as ten. There is at least one auditorium and gymnasium to each institution and the average school is equipped with fifty-eight classrooms. A survey of eighty-five high schools in forty-two cities was reported as showing an average enrollment of 1,169 and average daily attendance of 1,010. These cities maintain one teacher to every sixteen, six pupils enrolled and one educational supervisor to every thirty-three teachers.

Thirty-five new banking structures to represent a minimum cost of \$1,500,000 have been scheduled for construction in the Los Angeles territory during the coming year by the Bank of Italy National Trust and Savings Association. Announcement of the tentative physical development program, which in all probability will run far in excess of the above figures, was made last week by R. V. Morrison, in charge of the bank's construction

OPPORTUNITY NEVER LAGGING

The old saying that opportunity knocks but once has often been disproved. Opportunities are not lacking for those who are prepared to accept them. Frequently the possession of a little ready money at the right moment may mean the enjoyment of decided advantages. The ownership of a systematically-fostered savings account in the American Trust Company, where funds earn four per cent interest, compounded semi-annually, will be of great assistance to those who wish to succeed.

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M. E. CHURCH NOTES

W. C. Robins, Minister

Sunday, December 25th, Merry Christmas to all.

Sermon by pastor, Topic: "The Angel Message," the song and the gifts.

Special music by the Choir.

Solo, Miss Olive Hanger.

7:30 P. M. — Carols by Choir and Congregation. Mrs. Robins will give two Christmas readings, (a)

When Christ came to our town.

(b) Aunt Deborah hears the Messiah. Between the readings Mrs. Hanger will sing. Brief talk by the pastor.

Wednesday, 730—Prayer and Fellowship meeting followed by

Sunday School board meeting and election of officers.

All are welcome to our services.

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Gatos; care of Harry Ryan, Call of Wild Ranch.

FOR SALE—Chevrolet car, 1923 model; in good condition, \$125.

Call at Grattan's Garage, Campbell.

CHURCH NOTICE

Odd Fellows Hall Campbell. Branch of Upper Room Mission San Jose, Services every Saturday at 8 p. m., Monday 7:45 bible study; Wednesday 3:30 p. m., prayer meeting. The next children's service will be Friday, Jan. 5th, 1928. You are welcome to all services. — Come.

500 STEEL STUMP PULLERS

All types, numerous sizes, including Handpower, Horsepower, Gaspower, Autopower, Truckpower. Wire rope, equipments. Auto or Truck Pull-You-Out, the \$4.00 Bad-Read-Winch. Waterwheels, Automatic Driveway Gates. Deep Ditching. Ducrest Mfg. Route 11. Seattle, Washington.

A CAPABLE Housekeeper wants position in city or country. Address, Box 743, Campbell, Cal.

WANTED—Hear from owner, Ranch for Sale. State cash price, particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn.

Mama Dolls at Smith's Time books at Smith's.

Town Tales Tersely Told

Fine canaries for sale. 30 N. Central avenue.

Miss Lee Gillis left yesterday to spend a few days in Burlingame.

Miss Alice Strom arrived last week from Monterey, after attending teachers' institute at Santa Cruz.

We are very glad to report that Miss Mary Rodeck is somewhat improved with conditions indicating continued progress.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Purmort are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gillis and the A. A. Purmorts on Christmas Day.

The Misses Daisy and Maud Pannell returned Sunday from a delightful two weeks visit in Los Angeles, Hollywood and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Sailor of Lakewood arrived Tuesday to visit Mrs. Sailor's sisters, Mrs. Horace Lea and Mrs. A. Keesling over the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Gladys Coupland Carnes who was so ill recently following an operation has so far regained her strength that she has resumed her position with the Owl Drug Company.

Mrs. H. B. Isham underwent a serious operation last week but is improving. Her daughter, Mrs. Frank Wessels and son Howard from Peekskill, N. Y., have arrived to be with her.

Geo. E. Hyde is again out and keeping his eye on work about the packing plant. Mrs. Hyde who spent sometime at a San Francisco hospital is at the home of her son and steadily improving.

C. E. Berry who has been thru a serious illness is able to out again and has been to San Jose. He and Mrs. Berry expect to spend Christmas with their son, Millard and family at Redwood City.

Lester Brackett has made a name for himself by setting a new high standard of exterior decoration. He, this week, painted the flag pole and gilded the ball above the dome of the courthouse at San Jose.

Mrs. Mary Lanphier and Miss Sadie Mavon went to Cortland Wednesday, where they joined their sister, Mrs. Walter Stanford and family and all will spend Christmas with their brother and family in Oregon. Mrs. Lanphier will remain for a couple of months but the others will return next week.

H. C. Tuttle was called to Oakland Tuesday by the death of his aunt.

Mrs. Warth of Eureka visited Miss Mary Mary Rodeck Wednesday.

Miss Alice McCaughey of the faculty of the Stockton schools is home for vacation.

Miss Henrietta Van Dusen underwent a serious operation at the San Jose Hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bohnett will spend the Christmas week-end at Aromas with Mr. Bohnett's parents.

Miss Laura Blaine who teaches in Gilroy and Miss Margaret at Paso Robles are home for their Christmas holidays.

Principal D. H. Cramer and T. A. Cutting of the C. U. H. S. faculty have been attending institute this week at Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Curry are in Placerville attending the funeral of Mrs. Curry's brother. They are expected home the last of the week.

James F. Knappen who is teaching in the Pasadena Junior H. I., arrived yesterday to spend the remainder of the school vacation at the H. C. Smith home.

Mrs. Ira Abbott and the twins are visiting in Fresno this week while Mr. Abbott is instituting at Oakland. He went to Fresno yesterday to spend his holidays.

Community Council Report

Campbell Community Council held a called meeting at the library Friday evening, December 16, to hear the final report of the Community Chest campaign, and transact other necessary business. Dr. F. R. Anderson, campaign manager, reported amount subscribed to the chest from this to be \$3024.84, as follows:

Meridian District	\$ 198.00
Moreland District	214.50
Cambrian District	215.05
Hamilton District	517.75
Union District	41.25
San Tomas District	43.50
Campbell District	1794.79

Total 3024.84
Dr. Anderson, in his report, spoke warmly of his helpers, especially commending those who had taken up this work of soliciting year after year.

From the funds remaining in the treasury for 1927 work, extra money was allotted Campbell relief committee for needed work for children in the schools. Also a sum was voted for the Boy Scout work in our midst.

WALLACE T. MORTON

Although the fact was looked for by some the community was much grieved to hear of the passing of one of our most highly respected and beloved fellow-townsmen, Wallace T. Morton.

He had been suffering sometime with internal poisoning which finally became so acute last week that he was operated on for relief and died several hours later.

He was a native of Minnesota aged 64 and is survived by his wife Ethel Morton, son, Herold W. and several brothers and sisters in other parts of the country.

For several years he was the head of the Campbell Lumber Co. associated with his son. For the past two years he had retired from business leaving that to Herold. He was a member of the local Masonic order and Scottish Rite bodies. The funeral services Tuesday morning were in charge of Charity Lodge, assisted by Rev. W. E. Eckles former Chaplain. The pallbearers were: W. D. Sturtevant, G. L. Parso, Geo. Whitney, W. H. Crothers and C. F. Fawcett. Interment was at Woodlawn.

WM. C. ECKLES DIES

William C. Eckles, a native of Ohio, aged 85 years, uncle of Rev. W. E. Eckles passed away in San Jose, Friday, Dec. 16. Funeral services were held Monday morning from the parlors of Cury, Grikenshaw and Darling, the E. O. C. Ord Post, G. A. R. of Los Gatos participating in the services. Mr. Eckles was a member of the 2nd Battery, Iowa Volunteers, Light Artillery.

He is survived by his wife, Dora E. and several nieces and nephews.

While Rev. Eckles was living here, his uncle visited him several times, later making his home at Los Gatos.

Warren Hutton Passes to Reward

Warner Hutton passed away Sunday after several days suffering as the result of a serious fall.

He is survived by a brother, H. C. Hutton and a sister, Mrs. Laura Keith.

The funeral was held Tuesday from Santa Clara with Rev. W. E. Eckles officiating. Interment in Santa Clara Cemetery.

T. Arthur Robinson has been taking a forced vacation for the past two weeks and all but escaped an attack of pneumonia. He is reported able to sit up for a short time daily. J. B. Strong is substituting at the Whitman Hardware Store during Arthur's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott and family who have been living in Madera have moved to Campbell to make their home. Mr. Scott is working for D. A. McQueen. Mrs. Scott will be remembered as Myrtle Dunham and Jack is one of our Campbell boys. Their friends here are glad to welcome them back to their old home.

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His personality is telling. It is confidently hoped our debt on the equipment will be removed before many weeks now. Don't forget January 14th, in the auditorium. Here's another friend, in fact, really an old one, a real lover of boys, W. Dodds of Campbell Theater is giving us Tuesday and Wednesday, December 27th and 28th at 7:30. These will be "Scout nights." All proceeds, after expenses are met, will go toward our work. The program has been selected by W. Dodds, with my consent, and will feature chiefly an epic of American History in the West. The boys will call on you to buy tickets. Under 12, 10 cents, adults, 25 cents.

Scout meeting as usual during holidays. Don't forget December 27th and 28th.

Democratic Party Called in January

Clem Shaver, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, has called a meeting of his august organization for January 12th in Washington. In anticipation of this gathering of the stalwarts of the Jeffersonian and Jacksonian school of political thought, the public safety commissioner of Washington is making certain arrangements based on its memories of the Madison Square convention for the guarding of the lives of innocent bystanders. The police will be held available at all hours and all vacations have been cancelled. The firemen, with hose in hand, are to sleep in their clothes. In the hospitals, emergency and other institutions, special beds have been prepared and set apart and an additional fleet of sturdy ambulances has been secured. In short, the Democratic announcement that they intend to have peace even if they have to fight for it, has been accepted literally and no doubt wisely, by the municipal authorities. Yesterday a reassuring note was published to the inhabitants by the city officials that they did not believe it would be necessary to send the women and children out of Washington.

Gifts totaling \$800,000 and establishment of the new Stanford endowment fund were announced last week by President Ray Lyman Wilbur, following a meeting in San Francisco of the university board of trustees. The general education board had agreed to give Stanford \$1,600,000 fund for advanced work by students and faculty members in physical, chemical, biological and social service.

San Francisco is allotted \$396,449.16, Alameda county \$369,546.60, and Santa Clara county \$143,584.05 under the biennial distribution to the counties of California of their share of the gasoline and transportation license tax collected during the six months period ending September 30.

A premium of \$10,800 for \$1,000,000 worth of the building bonds voted last year, was realized by the State last week at a sale conducted by State Treasurer Charles G. Johnson. The proceeds from the sale will be used in improving the plant of the University of California at Los Angeles.

divided into two classes, according to the progress of the experiment. Further improvements in the condition of California's cotton crop during November led the federal-state crop reporting service last week to forecast a total yield of 94,000 bales. This is an increase of 1,000 bales over the November 1st forecast, and compares with a total production of 130,500 bales in 1926. The average yield per acre will be approximately 862 pounds, as against 887 pounds last year.

CONG'L. CHURCH NOTES

Next Friday, the Sunday School Christmas tree will be ready for the children. Everyone is welcome. Come at 7:50 p. m. See the beautifully arranged Christmas play entitled "Why the Chimes Rang."

Next Sunday, Christmas day, at 11 a. m. Special Services of Carol Singing.

Preacher, Rev. J. H. Bennett; Subject: "His Star," at 7:30 p. m. The Church Choir will render a Cantata "The Hope of the World" Everybody very welcome.



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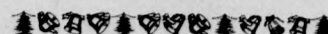
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Estate of JOHN PETER CORPSTEIN, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Susie A. Corpstein, Administratrix of the Estate of John Peter Corpstein, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Santa Clara County, California, within ten months after the first publication of this Notice, or within said period to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, to the said administratrix at the office of Bohnett, Hill & Campbell, Rooms 311-314 Bank of San Jose Building, in the City of San Jose, County of Santa Clara, State of California, where all business connected with said estate will be transacted.
San Jose, this 22nd day of November, A. D. 1927.
SUSIE A. CORPSTEIN,
Administratrix of the Estate of JOHN PETER CORPSTEIN, Deceased.
BOHNETT, HILL & CAMPBELL, Attorneys for said Administratrix.
First Publication, November 25, 1927.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Estate of ALICE WALKER, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the last Will and Testament of ALICE WALKER, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Santa Clara County, California, within four (4) months after the first publication of this Notice, or within said period to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, to the said Executor at the office of Bohnett, Hill & Campbell, Rooms 311-314 Bank of San Jose Building, in the City of San Jose, County of Santa Clara, State of California, where all business connected with said estate will be transacted.
San Jose, Calif., this 10th day of December, A. D. 1927.
FREDERICK HOE
Executor of the last Will and Testament of ALICE WALKER, Deceased.
BOHNETT, HILL & CAMPBELL, Attorneys for said Executor.
Memorandum books at Smiths.

AMBROSE BIERCE AND MARK TWAIN FORMERLY "PLAYED" AT "BOHEMIA"

By M. A. Martin in The Mountain Realty

"Bohemia," the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Bashford, pioneers at Wrights is located in the Burrell district, and is one of the best known of the older show places of the mountains. It was so named by the Bohemian set of San Francisco some year ago. It was the objective for a group of writers, physicians and other professional men, comprising a group of pleasure-loving San Franciscans, who knew how to "play," including such celebrities as Ambrose Bierce and Mark Twain, both of whom, with others equally celebrated, made "Bohemia" the country home of themselves and friends when in San Francisco. The place still retains its original beauty and interest. Tanks with a capacity of 8000 gallons, supply an abundant water supply. The water contains health-giving minerals. The unique arrangement of the grounds is noticeable. The walls of a beautiful ravine are rock-terraced; beautiful shrubs and plants of every description grow in profusion, including lilacs, flowing quinces, English Ivy, various types of

grapes, the vines of which gracefully cover an attractive arbor, shady walks under large and stately oaks and redwoods, and many welcoming paths to tempt the hiker. Careful attempt has been made to retain the natural beauty whenever possible, and the landscape engineer has evidently been very successful along these lines.
The main building contains nine rooms, including an assembly room 16x22 with fireplace; large basement and sub-basements and a sun-roof with spacious lookout tower. The main building is surrounded by well-kept lawns upon which there is a summer house, dance pavilion and croquet ground. Some years ago, Harold French, the writer, traveled through the Santa Cruz mountains in search of material for his articles in the Overland Monthly. In one of his articles in this publication, he refers to the Bashford residence as the "Bohemian Bungalow." The abundance of water on this property enables the owner to keep the grounds and surroundings in an attractive condition at all times.

The rates for electrical power to be used in agriculture have been voluntarily reduced from 10 to 20 per cent by the Coast Counties Gas & Electric Company. The company serves consumers in Monterey and Santa Cruz counties.

The first head lettuce deal in the Dinuba district got under way on November 21, when the American Fruit Growers, Inc., shipped the first car of the season. It is expected that about thirty cars will be shipped this year. The lettuce is being grown on the Eraser Brothers ranch in the Yettem area. While the crop this year is experimental, indications are that the product will be of high quality and a larger acreage is anticipated for next season.

Two hundred thousand boxes of oranges, worth approximately \$1,000,000, have been shipped from Santa Paula this season by the Mupu Orange Association, according to C. E. Whipple, manager of the association. The packing-house was operated for nine months this year, the longest run in the history of the plant. The average return to members of the Mupu association has been \$12,500 for the season, says Mr. Whipple.

A car of oats for seed purposes was recently received in Calipatria. Several ranchers are going to plant oats, rather than barley, with their alfalfa this year. The VII company alone will plant 500 acres. As yet, it is unknown how oats will feed off in comparison to the commonly used barley, but growers are confident that it will make a better selling mixed hay. The demand for barley and alfalfa has been weak for the last several years.

A warning against diphtheria was sounded last week by the state department of public health, as the disease began its seasonal increase. Approximately 125 cases per week are being reported to the state health authorities. Parents are urged to have their children immunized.

The Tri-State Airlines of Oakland announced recently that by the middle of next month the company will have a fleet of big monoplanes carrying from four to twelve passengers to many important cities in the west, including Sacramento, Stockton, Modesto, Fresno and Bakersfield in interior California.

Members of the California tax commission met in San Francisco last week to discuss plans for beginning their investigation of the state's revenues, shortly after the first of the year. Choice of a tax expert to assist in studying the revenue system and to search for sources of revenue now being overlooked, was under discussion, and Irving Martin, Stockton, chairman of the commission, said they were desirous of getting the best expert available.

Receipt of the fourth court certificate seeking aid for a crippled child under the State's new Crippled Children's Act, was announced a few days ago by Dr. Walter M. Dickie, director of public health. The latest certificate is from Butte county. One case has been certified from Fairfield and two from Fresno. The Butte county child will be brought to a hospital in Sacramento for treatment necessary to restore it to health, the expense being first borne by the State and later by the county.

Reclamation of Dos Rios Island, at the confluence of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers, with the view of establishing a prison farm upon it, is being given serious consideration by the State administration. Alexander R. Heron, State director of finance, has reported to Governor C. C. Young that expenditure of a few thousand dollars will probably be sufficient to reclaim a considerable acreage for truck garden purposes. San Quentin prison inmates, under this plan, would work the island which belongs to the State.

Plans for the construction of a Lutheran university near Culver City, the first unit of which will cost \$5,000,000, were announced at Los Angeles last week by Dr. L. E. Boe, president of St. Olaf College at Northfield, Minn.

The highest arch span bridge in the California State highway system was opened to traffic last week in the Harlan D. Miller memorial bridge across Dog Creek on the Pacific Highway in the Sacramento River Canyon. The great structure is 130 feet above the creek bed. It is just below the town of Delta.

PROBATE OF WILL
In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Santa Clara.
In the matter of the Estate of WALLACE T. MORTON, sometimes known as W. T. MORTON, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the Will of Wallace T. Morton, deceased, and for the issuance to Herold W. Morton of Letters Testamentary has been filed in this Court and that Friday, the 6th day of January, A. D. 1928, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. Two of said Court at the Court House, in the City of San Jose, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted.
Dated, December 21st, A. D. 1927.
HENRY A. PFISTER,
Clerk.
By W. DENKER,
Deputy Clerk.
BOHNETT, HILL & CAMPBELL, Attorneys for Petitioner.
First Publication, December 23, 1927.

Spanish Architecture
"The last decade in this country has seen an amazing renaissance in architecture," writes Helen Bishop in Arts and Decoration Magazine. "Following the revulsion against the ugly frame house of the '90s with its ridiculous wooden battlements and turrets there was a return to the colonial type of house with the simple lines—a style which rightfully may be called one branch of native American architecture. Following that came a wave of interest in what is known broadly as the Mediterranean type of dwelling, particularly the house of decided Spanish feeling, a style which is as native to Florida and California as the colonial is to the northeastern seaboard states."

PROBATE OF WILL
In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Santa Clara.
In the matter of the Estate of WARNER HUTTON, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the Will of Warner Hutton, deceased, and for the issuance to American Trust Company, a Corporation, of Letters Testamentary has been filed in this Court and that Friday, the 6th day of January, A. D. 1928, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. Two of said Court, at the Court House, in the City of San Jose, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted.
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Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executrix of the last will and testament of Abner Paul Marston, etc., deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said

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In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Santa Clara.
HARRY ZONES, Plaintiff, vs STELLA ZONES, Defendant.
Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, and the Complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Santa Clara.
The People of the State of California send greetings to STELLA ZONES, Defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the Complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Santa Clara, within ten days after service on you of this Summons, if served within this County, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Santa Clara, this 4th day of November A. D. 1927.

(Seal) HENRY A. PFISTER, Clerk.
By R. I. McCarthy, Deputy Clerk.
MARTIN S. WALSH, Santa Clara, Calif., Attorney for Plaintiff.
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decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Santa Clara County, California, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this Notice, or within said period to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, to the said Executrix at the office of Bohnett, Hill & Campbell, Rooms 311-314 Bank of San Jose Building, in the City of San Jose, County of Santa Clara, State of California, where all business in connection with said estate will be transacted.
San Jose, Calif., this 25th day of November, A. D. 1927.

SARAH MAUDE MARSTON, Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Abner Paul Marston, etc., Deceased.
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